

**A RESOLUTION**

Councilmember C. T. Martin

**As amended by City Utilities Committee**

A Resolution creating a Sight Pollution Task Force to make recommendations on the enforcement and elimination of Illegal Signs and Graffiti in the City of Atlanta

WHEREAS, the City of Atlanta is known most often for its trees and beautiful neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, these neighborhoods are being threatened by the proliferation of visual pollution, i.e., illegal handbills, signs and graffiti; and

WHEREAS, these handbills/signs are plastered on utility poles, traffic signs and trees in the City's right-of-way; and

WHEREAS, while this practice is clearly illegal, the City has been derelict in its enforcement; and

WHEREAS, city departments and related agencies need to come together to fight this blight on Atlanta's neighborhoods.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA**  
as follows:

**Section 1:** There is hereby created a Sight Pollution Task Force to investigate and make recommendations on the matter of handbills/signs, and graffiti which are placed in the City's right-of-way. Said Task Force shall include:

The Chairperson of Keep Atlanta Beautiful, Inc. Task Force or his/her designee;

One (1) representative of each Neighborhood Planning Unit, to be appointed by the Chair of each respective NPU;

The chairperson of the Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee; and

One representative of each of the five (5) schools in the Atlanta University Center to be appointed by the President of each of the schools

**Section 2:** That this Task Force be chaired by the Chair of the Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee of the Atlanta City Council.

A true copy,

Deputy Clerk

ADOPTED as amended by the Council  
APPROVED by the Mayor

Jun 18, 2001  
Jun 25, 2001

RCS# 2956  
6/18/01  
3:16 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

01-R-0733

Create Sight Pollution Task Force  
Regarding Illegal Signs & Graffiti  
ADOPT AS AMEND

YEAS: 14  
NAYS: 0  
ABSTENTIONS: 0  
NOT VOTING: 1  
EXCUSED: 0  
ABSENT 1

Unanimous

Y McCarty	Y Dorsey	Y Moore	Y Thomas
Y Starnes	Y Woolard	Y Martin	Y Emmons
Y Bond	Y Morris	Y Maddox	Y Alexander
Y Winslow	Y Muller	B Boazman	NV Pitts

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**ADOPTED BY  
JUN 18 2001  
COUNCIL**

*As Amended*

- ☐ CONSENT REFER
- ☐ REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ☐ ADVERTISE & REFER
- ☐ 1st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER
- ☒ PERSONAL PAPER REFER

Date Referred 5/7/01

Referred To: City Utilities

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**First Reading**

Committee \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Chair \_\_\_\_\_  
Referred to \_\_\_\_\_

Committee *City Utilities*  
Date *5-15-01*  
Chair \_\_\_\_\_

Action: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)  
Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Members \_\_\_\_\_

Refer To \_\_\_\_\_

Committee \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Chair \_\_\_\_\_

Action: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)  
Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Members \_\_\_\_\_

Refer To \_\_\_\_\_

Committee *City Utilities*  
Date *6-12-01*  
Chair *Chris Muller*

Action: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)  
Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Members \_\_\_\_\_

Refer To \_\_\_\_\_

Committee \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Chair \_\_\_\_\_

Action: \_\_\_\_\_  
Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)  
Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Members \_\_\_\_\_

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**FINAL COUNCIL ACTION**

- ☐ 2nd ☐ 1st & 2nd ☐ 3rd
- Readings
- ☒ Consent ☐ V Vote ☒ RC Vote

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ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

*Robert A. Parker*

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*Paula*  
DEPUTY MUNICIPAL CLERK

MAYOR'S ACTION

**APPROVED**

JUN 25 2001

MAYOR

*Keith Williams*